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1.0 Purpose

The purpose of this standard is to establish a standard product for Geographic Information Systems that would allow state agencies to share data objects and to eliminate the need for retraining when employees transfer across agencies.

2.0 Scope

Identify current products being used and their functionality to determine what is the best product for the State of Missouri.

3.0 Background

The Department of Conservation, Highways and Transportation, and Natural Resources all use ESRI products for their GIS activities. The Department of Corrections, county and municipal entities have also expressed an interest in sharing data objects. A standard needs to be established to facilitate better sharing of data across platforms.

4.0 References

    4.1   November 13, 1995 Letter from CIO to Purchasing Director

5.0 Revision History

Date	Description of Change
11/13/1995	Original standard issued

6.0 Definitions

N/A

7.0 Inquiries

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The Environmental Systems Research Institute, Inc. (ESRI) product line is the State of Missouri standard for Geographic Information Systems (GIS) software.

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Dear Joyce:

On behalf of the Information Technology Advisory Board I am requesting that a Master Purchase Agreement (MPA) single feasible source contract be established with Environmental Systems Research Institute, Inc. (ESRI) for Geographic Information Systems (GIS) software.

It is this office's understanding that the existing contract has expired and that ESRI products are sold exclusively by ESRI. This information was substantiated by Mr. Russell Sundquist, Contracts Specialist with ESRI. The Departments of Conservation, Highways and Transportation, and Natural Resources all use ESRI products for their GIS activities. The Department of Corrections, county and municipal entities have also expressed an interest in sharing data objects and should be allowed to acquire products and services accordingly. I am recommending the entire ESRI GIS product line, including training, maintenance, consulting, support, documentation, and new product releases/upgrades be available on the contract for acquisition as required.

Included in the MPA should be:
- Arc/Info for the UNIX Operating System
- Arc/Info Network Extension
- Arc/Info TIN Extension
- Arc/Info COGO Extension
- Arc/Info GRID Extension
- Arc/Info ArcScan Extension
- Arc/ Info ArcExpress Extension

- Arc/Info ArcPress Extension
- Arc/Info ArcStorm Extension
- Arc/Info Font Library
- Arc SDL
- Database Int3egrator Developer's Toolkit
- Data Automation Kit
- Database Integrator DB2
- Training courses that may be available for each product.

If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Sincerely,

Mike Benzen
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